EXHIBIT A

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF OKLAHOMA

STATE OF OKLAHOMA, et al.

PLAINTIFFS

v. CASE NO.: 05-CV-00329 TCK -SAJ

TYSON FOODS, INC., et al.

DEFENDANTS

DEFENDANTS' PROPOSED SCHEDULE (WITHOUT MOTION FOR PRELIMINARY INJUNCTION)

Parties Exchange Preliminary Fact Witness Lists March 15, 2007 Disclosures Required by Lone Pine Order April 16, 2007 (Ex. A to Defs. Motion, Dkt. No. 946) Plaintiffs' Expert Reports December 3, 2007 Deposition Cut-off for Plaintiffs' Experts April 7, 2008 Defendants' Expert Reports June 2, 2008 Parties Exchange Final Fact Witness Lists July 20, 2008 Deposition Cut-off for Defendants' Experts September 1, 2008 Discovery Cut-off September 1, 2008 Daubert Motion Deadline October 6, 2008 Dispositive Motion Deadline November 3, 2008 Parties Exchange Exhibits January 12, 2009 Motions in Limine Deadline February 13, 2009 **Proposed Jury Instructions** February 13, 2009 Pre-trial briefs (if necessary) February 13, 2009 Trial March 2009